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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR UN XF
SUBJ: MIDDLE EAST -- COMPLAINT TO SYG ABOUT SYRIAN ALLEGED
STATEMENTS

1. I PHONED SYG WALDHEIM THIS AFTERNOON TO COMPLAIN
VIGOROUSLY ABOUT BEIRUT BROADCAST (FBIS 64) WHICH
QUOTED SYRIAN UN DELEGATE KELANI AS DESCRIBING KISSINGER
MEETING WITH ARAB FON MINS AS TOUGH AND BAD. I TOLD SYG
THIS COMMENT BY SYRIA WAS OUTRAGEOUS IN VIEW OF
EXCEEDINGLY FRIENDLY TONE OF MEETING OF ARAB FON MINS
AND KISSINGER AND THEIR PUBLIC COMMENTS AFTERWARD.
I NOTED SYRIAN WAS NOT AMONG THOSE PRESENT AND SAID
IT WAS PARTICULARLY DEPLORABLE THAT HE WOULD SEEK
TO CHARACTERIZE MTG IN ANY WAY, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW
OF NUMBER OF PHONY COMPLAINTS HE HAS MADE TO SYG
ALLEGING AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN ME FIGHTING. I PRESSED
SYG TO TAKE UP MATTER IMMEDIATELY WITH SYRIA AND TO REPORT
TO HIM THAT SUCH MISCHIEVOUS ACTION WAS MAKING DIPLOMATIC
TASK OF ACHIEVING PEACE MORE DIFFICULT.

2. ONE HOUR LATER SYG PHONED TO REPORT HE HAD RELAYED
MY PROTEST AND THAT KELANI DENIED HAVING SAID ANYTHING
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LIKE THIS TO ANYONE.

3. I EXPRESSED SKEPTICISM AND NOTED THAT SYRIAN DELEGATE HAS BEEN PARTICULARLY ACTIVE IN COMPLAINING TO SYG AND SPREADING FALSE REPORTS IN UN CORRIDORS AND TO NEWSMEN.

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